

**TABLE 1**  
**SUMMARY OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES**  
**DECEMBER 2016**

	December 2016	November 2016	December 2015	Percent Change From	
				Prior Month	Prior Year
<b>STATE UC PROGRAM *</b>					
Weeks Compensated	64,000	71,062	86,283	-9.9	-25.8
Total Unemployment	61,552	68,570	83,179	-10.2	-26.0
Other than Total	2,448	2,492	3,104	-1.8	-21.1
Benefits Paid	\$14,094,410	\$15,692,176	\$18,857,445	-10.2	-25.3
Total Unemployment	13,654,451	15,239,936	18,301,818	-10.4	-25.4
Other than Total	439,959	452,240	555,627	-2.7	-20.8
Average Payment - Total Unemployment	\$221.84	\$222.25	\$220.03	-0.2	0.8
Beneficiaries	20,089	18,759	23,147	7.1	-13.2
First Payments	4,556	4,374	5,441	4.2	-16.3
Final Payments	1,534	1,846	2,085	-16.9	-26.4
Claims Received - Local Offices					
New	10,871	8,746	13,155	24.3	-17.4
Additional	5,706	3,763	5,836	51.6	-2.2
Continued	27,394	24,915	31,221	9.9	-12.3
Weeks Claimed	76,057	73,368	87,838	3.7	-13.4
Liabe Interstate Claims Received					
Initial	394	434	498	-9.2	-20.9
Weeks Claimed	3,245	3,102	3,516	4.6	-7.7
Appeals - Lower and Higher Authority					
Lower Authority - Appeals Received	902	903	1,032	-0.1	-12.6
Lower Authority - Appeal Decisions	1,006	842	1,119	19.5	-10.1
Higher Authority - Appeals Received	171	154	196	11.0	-12.8
Higher Authority - Appeal Decisions	176	148	178	18.9	-1.1
<b>FEDERAL UC PROGRAM</b>					
<b>(UCFE AND UCX)</b>					
Weeks Compensated	675	802	978	-15.8	-31.0
Benefits Paid - Federal Funds	197,538	232,212	287,901	-14.9	-31.4
Claims Received - Local Offices					
Initial	97	87	142	11.5	-31.7
Continued	212	219	292	-3.2	-27.4
Weeks Claimed	672	715	935	-6.0	-28.1
<b>TOTAL STATE AND FEDERAL</b>					
<b>UC PROGRAMS</b>					
Weeks Compensated	64,675	71,864	87,261	-10.0	-25.9
Benefits Paid - All Funds	\$14,291,948	\$15,924,388	\$19,145,346	-10.3	-25.4
Number of First Payments	4,590	4,424	5,487	3.8	-16.3
Beneficiaries	20,326	19,011	23,457	6.9	-13.3
Claims Received - Local Offices					
Initial	16,674	12,596	19,133	32.4	-12.9
Continued	27,606	25,134	31,513	9.8	-12.4
Weeks Claimed	76,729	74,083	88,773	3.6	-13.6
Number of Work Days	21	19	21	10.5	**

\* Includes activity under State Unemployment Compensation Program.

\*\* No activity in prior period or less than 0.1 percent.

\*\*\* Information not available, reported on quarterly basis.